Kevin M. Randles

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Full stack web developer with a passion for software that simplifies and enhances people's lives and jobs. With experience in Ruby on Rails, JavaScript, and React, and a background in IT Support, I chose to pursue a career in web development out of a desire to find creative fulfillment and encounter new challenges through technology. I bring strong skills in problem-solving and an eye for detail that help companies build amazing web applications.

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

Tapped - http://tapped.kevinrandles.com/ | https://github.com/krandles/bottle_share_frontend
A social application for craft beer enthusiasts, incorporating beer and brewery listings/reviews and event management
+ Built front-end using React with Semantic UI components and custom CSS for styling
+ Utilized Redux to manage global state and data fetching, and React Router for dynamic routing
+ Designed Ruby on Rails API using JWT for user authentication and PostgreSQL database
+ Integrated Filestack for image upload/hosting, Moment.JS for date handling, and Google Maps for location info

Tile Matcher - http://tile-matcher.kevinrandles.com/ | https://github.com/krandles/Tile-Matcher-Frontend
A Concentration-style tile-matching game
+ Built front-end using vanilla JavaScript with custom CSS for animation and layout
+ Designed API using Ruby on Rails to support multiple tilesets
+ Configured event listeners and timeouts to manage interactivity during gameplay loop

Get 'er Done - http://geterdone.kevinrandles.com/ | https://github.com/krandles/get-er-done
A task/project management application with light gamification elements
+ Built application using Ruby on Rails MVC framework with Bootstrap CSS library
+ Used bcrypt gem and cookies for user authentication and session persistence
+ Implemented gamification system tracking points scored for completed tasks and users' level based on total points
+ Developed RSpec test suite and implemented Active Record input validation

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Ruby, Rails, JavaScript, React, Redux, Node.js, Git, Semantic UI, Bootstrap, SQL, HTML, CSS

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Unisys Corp./Insight for Moët Hennessy USA, New York, NY
Field Services Engineer III, *April 2013-September 2017 (Unisys), April 2011 - April 2013 (Insight)*
 + Provided on-site and remote PC and Mac hardware and software support for 400+ users
 + Responsible for application deployment, OS upgrades, and annual laptop refresh projects
 + Implemented Clonezilla SE Linux server for PC image management and deployment
 + Managed Avaya VOIP, Airwatch MDM, Polycom video conferencing, LANDesk, Active Directory, file/print servers

Uni-Data & Communications for J.P. Morgan Chase, New York, NY
PC Support Technician, *January 2010 - April 2011*
 + Worked on numerous hardware deployment and office relocation projects
 + Backfilled for HP hardware support, break/fix, and I/M/A/C teams

3SG Corp., Columbus, OH
Desktop Support Specialist, *September 2007 - April 2009*
 + Supported Windows desktops, Microsoft Office, and multiple document imaging software suites for 100+ users
 + Maintained scanner hardware, managed Active Directory, QA tested for internal tools
Quality Control Specialist, *April 2004 - September 2007*
 + As lead QC Specialist, ensured 99%+ accuracy of data entry in client deliverables
 + Utilized Access VBA and SQL to streamline QC processes and minimize manual QC checks wherever possible
Data Entry/Document Imaging Technician, *March 2003 - April 2004*
 + Performed data entry and document scanning for numerous document imaging projects
 + Promoted to Quality Control team in recognition of accuracy and quality of completed work

EDUCATION

Flatiron School, New York, NY - *2018*
Full Stack Web Development, Ruby on Rails and JavaScript immersive program